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RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the First Office Action mailed from the Patent Office on February 24, 2005, please substitute the following claims as indicated.

Listing of the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.